VIRGINIA LAWYERS.

STATE BAR ASSOCIATION'S EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING.

Address of President R. M. Hughes. Reports of Committees-Permanent Home for the Association-Court of Arbitration-Personal.

most interesting address.

President Hughes announced as his subject, "Contractual Exemptions from Linbillity." In the outset he said the first phase which naturally presents itself to the legal mind is the right of the common carrier to protect himself by stipulation. The common law made him an insurer of the property intrusted to his care, and excused him only when the loss care, and excused him only when the loss was due to the act of God or the public enemy. The speaker gave the reasons assigned for this rigid standard of accountability. This principle of carriers' liability was acced back to the old Roman law. A case was cited, that of Friend vs. Woods, 6th Grattan, 186, where the owner of a steamboat which piled on the Kanawha river and rulned a cargo of sait by stranding on a newly-found sand-bar was held responsible, whether negligent or bot.

"This harsh rule resulted." said the "This barsh rule resulted, Said the speaker, "as is well known, in a reac-tion, and the desire to encourage railways in their infancy led to the line of decis-lons scataining exemptions modifying it. See England it is legal for a carrier to thimself by contract even from the

nunces of negligence, and this exprivilege of exemption has been subspaced in some of the States, though the vast preponderance of American authority fraws the line at that point and holds ex-

draws the line at that point and holds exsusptions from negligence invalid as contrary to public policy."

A number of opinions were here referred to by President Hughes, and he
continued by saying: "Although the wisdom of denying to carriers the right of
contracting absolutely against their own
negligence may not be denied, it seems
rather extreme to say that they cannot
profect themselves even from gross negli-

and claborately treated.

"The laws governing and relating to water carriage and the effect of stipulations in bills of lading," said Mr. Hughes, "has been much modified and complicated by a recent act of Congress, which is farreaching in its consequence."

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After a most exhaustive argument upon the questions President Hughes had chosen to discuss be concluded by saying; "It is essential to the development of our law that the successive expansions should be deduced from its first elements, irrespective of special facts. The wonderful flexibility of the common law, by virtue of which release. irrespective of special facts. The won-derful flexibility of the common law, by virtue of which principles originating in a distant past adapt themselves to the multiform needs of civilization, makes it tp-day govern the freezi and wealthleat nations of the globe. Start-ing in the mists of tradition, developing its general features on the main lines of its origin, despite pollutions from Romans and Normans, and Danes and ecclesias-tics, it has cast off its excrescences, and

Ever expanding to meet new conditions, yet always in lines direct, its fitting parallel is the rays of light to which the brightness and fertility of the world is due. Starting from a source remote beyond mortal ken, unexplored regions are illumined by their presence. Misis may hitercept them and veil from us their heavenly birth. Unusual conditions of calm or gathering storm may refract them, and under the guise of a tempting mirage or a blinding whirlpool, deceive us as to their course. A glittering surface may cause us to forget in its contemplation that it is but a reflector of their splendor. A colored medium may transform them, or decompose them into their elements. But despite all the phenomena of refraction or reflection or discoloration they reach the earth, and under their caresses the laughing sea rejoices and sparkies, the flowers and foliage put on their richest hue, and all mankind is rejuvenated and enriched by the Heaven-born indunes."

COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

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treasurer's report showed the aslation to be in an excellent financial

The Committee on Permanent Home The Committee on Permanent Home, presented an invitation from the Richmond Bar Association for the Virginia Bar Association to make its home in their rooms in the Richmond City Hall, and this invitation was accepted with thanks, the secretary being instructed to remove the books and papers of the association to the rooms as soon as practicable.

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It was determined, in view of the fact that Hon. W. W. Henry would not read the paper he had been assigned to prepare, that the night sessions of the association would be dispensed with, and morning sessions only be held.

COURT OF ARBITRATION. A petition was received from the New York Bar Association to have a com-mittee appointed to co-operate with simi-lar committees from other State asso-ciations, in establishing a court of ar-bitration between all English-speaking recoils, and it was agreed that such a people, and it was agreed that such a committee should be appointed. The president will anhounce the committees

Executive Committee and the com-

The Executive Committee and the committees on Admissions and the Nomination of Officers, met to-night and transacted merely routine business. The Committee on Admissions recommended for membership in the association a large number of young lawyers and the Committee on Nominations decided upon the officers who will be elected to conduct the association during the next twelve months, but will not announce their names until to-morrow. The Executive Committee made all final preparations for the grand banquet Thursday night.

Following is a list of the members present: R. M. Hughes, Norfolk, W. J. Leake, Richmond; G. K. Anderson, Clifton Forge; G. Guy, Richmond; J. A. Coke, Richmond; G. K. Anderson, Richmond; J. Rutherfoord, Richmond; J. H. Lewis, Lynchburg; R. T. W. Duke, Jr., Charlottesville; G. Gorge S. Shackieford, Orange; Alexander Hamilton, Petersburg; A. R. Long, Lynchburg; S. Griffin, Bedford City; W. E. Holmes, Boydton; L. L. Lewis, Richmond; W. W. Old, Norfolk; L. C. Barley, Alexandria; J. C. Parker, Southampton; J. W. Fishburne, Charlottesville; D. G. Tyler, Willlamsburg; Edward Echols, Staunton; J. Anamount of the committee on Nominations decided upon the officers of the S. P. C. A. Hoard.

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The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held inst night in the society's office. There were present Dr. Jud. Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Palmer, John Chamblin, William Rehling, E. C. Mayo, and Miss Pearl Bodeker.

The report of Agent E. C. Taylor was submitted, showing that during the month of June 56 cases were investigated, as follows: Horses and mules until for work and sent to stable, 12; horses and mules destroyed, 23; cruelty to cows, 2; teams overloaded, 5; owners advised of unnearly the month of June 56 cases were limeted in the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held inst night in the society of Directors of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was hel

Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report



(Special from a Staff Correspondent.)

OLD POINT, VA., July 15.—The cighth annual session of the Virginia Bar Association convened here this morning, and while the members are here more for pleasure than otherwise, a considerable amount of business was transacted.

The initial meeting of the association was attended by a large number of ladies, and the addresses of the legal lights, though few in number, were listened to by the fair sex with great interest apparently, though they hardly understood many of the legal terms used.

Judge W. J. Leake, chairman of the Executive Committee, called the body to order, and introduced the president, Mr. R. M. Hughes, of Norfolk, who made a most interesting address.

CROPS DANAGED BY RAINS.

Wheat and Oats Blown Down and Corn Overflowed.

The following is the weekly crop bulletin of the Virginia Weather Bureau; Richmond, Va., Tuesday, July 14, 1896.

The past week has been characterized by a series of heavy daily rains, which have done an immense amount of damage to all standing and harvested, but unto all standing and harvested, but unhoused, crops, in the southern tiers of
counties of the different sections. Many
fields of corn adjacent to streams were
overflowed and washed away. Oats
blown down, tobacco drowned out, and
wheat and oats cut, but not housed,
damaged. The central and northern
counties of the Middle and Great Valley
sections, while receiving considerable
rain, were outside of the area of heaviest
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TIDEWATER VIRGINIA. TIDEWATER VIRGINIAThroughout the southern and central counties of this section the rainfail has been excessive and continued during the week. Much damage has been caused to crops by washing and beating down, and a good deal of the cut grain which farmers had been unable to house owing to previous wet weather has sprouted. Cultivation or securing of crops has been rendered impossible. Oats are beginning to rot in the field, and many uncut fields rendered impossible. Oats are beginning to rot in the field, and many uncut fields have been blown down. Cotton is now in poor condition, and it is thought the yield will be below average. Peanuts are injured, and corn in lowiands badly washed.

MIDDLE VIRGINIA.

contracting absolutely against their own negligence may not be denied, it seems rather extreme to say that they cannot protect themselves even from gross negligence by reduced charge. The shipper still has his choice whether to pay the full charge for full protection or a reduced charge for partial protection or a reduced charge for partial protection."

UNREPEATED TELEGRAMS.

President Hughes spoke of the fact that exemptions in case of unrepeated telegrams, coupled with an extra charge for repeating, had been upheld by the Superme Court. Telegraph companies were as public in nature as carriers. Real and fancled valuations were touched upon by the speaker. The relations between the underwriter and the carrier were fully and claborately treated.

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In this section the rainfail, though heavy, was not an great as in either of the other two sections, and was more evenly distributed. In some instances, mostly in the southern counties, damage was done to corn standing and outs by wind and rain. Wheat in shocks has done some sprouting. The cat crop is generally very promising. In scattered localities damage has occurred from adverse weather, and in the vicinity of Blacksburg, Montgomery county, the "smut" has appeared. Pastures are very good. Some haying yet remains to be done, but the crop is poor. Gardens are very good.

TWO BAD NEGROES ARRESTED. Annie Fisher and James Jackson. Charged With Larceny.

Detectives Hall and Gibson yesterday afternoon arrested Annie Fisher cs, it has cast off its excrescences, and afternoon arrested Annie rish opprophet is needed to predict that in James Jackson, at No. 729 north Third street, on the charge of stealing a num-Ever expanding to meet new condi- ber of articles of silverware and other usehold effects from Mrs. Frank Cush-

he was arrested.

Annie Fisher is regarded by the police as one of the worst negro women in Richmond. She has many aliases. Some of them are: Annie Johnson, and Harris, Sarah Moore, etc.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A VETERAN. Mr. William A. Manley Drops Dead

from Heart-Disease. Mr. William A. Manley, one of the vete-rans at the Soldiers' Home, died very suddenly there yesterday morning at 5:30

He had just come down from his room, and with a water-bucket in his hand was

and with a water-bucket in his hand was standing in the centre of the floor, when, without warning, he fell and soon breathed his last. Mr. Manley had been a sufferer from heart-disease for a long time, and had frequently remarked that he expected to die suddenly.

Deceased was formerly a resident of Petersburg, and was 76 years of age. He was a gailant soldier, and served in Archer's Battalion of Virginia Infantry. He was thrice wounded in the engagement of June 9, 1884, when General Kantz and his command were whipped near Peceased was a widower, and leaves no

hildren. The remains will be taken to Petersburg

OLD NORTH STATE

NOTICE OF PEABODY SCHOLAR-SHIPS THAT ARE VACANT.

The State Library-The Annual Meeting of Presbyterian Elders and Deacons-A Hitch - Many Partridges-Cy. Watson is Pleased.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 14.-(Special.)-The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has notified the examiners that there are twelve applicants for the four Peabody scholarships vacant. These scholarships are for two years, with free tuition and \$160 and expenses of travel.

The number of volumes in the State Library has now reached 50,000.

her home here. and deacons' meeting will be held at Red rial. Springs, Robeson county, July 30th to Au-

springs, Rousson county, July 38th to August 7th. Rev. Dr. Eugene Daniel, of Raieigh, is one of the speakers.

There is quite a hitch as to the "efficial
route" to the National Populist Convention at St. Louis, Senator Butler says it
is the Southern railway, while Otho Wilson declares it is the Senboard. As a result there are two sets of notices of
route

The Republicans seem to be trying to intimidate the negro voters. Congressmar Linney in a speech declared that any negro who votes any other ticket than the Republican ought to be whipped. A good deal of the negro vote is hidebound, but these threats fall flat this year. MANY PARTEIDGES.

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Sportsmen say that there are many partridges this year. June was favorable for them, as it was a dry month.

This is the last week of the present session of the State University Summer School. The total enrolment is 155, which is a good increase over last session's attendance. Under the skilful management of Professor M. C. S. Noble, of Wilmington, the school work has fully met the expectations of the progressive teachers gathered there from all parts of the State. Professor Alderman, who is far in the lead for the presidency of the university, has returned from a trip North, and has taken charge of the summer school. When he resumed his work he was given such a demonstration of applause as to show that this popularity among the teachers is as great as ever. as great as ever.

Minister Ransom spent last night here on his way from Washington to Elowing

HE IS DELIGHTED. Cyrus B. Watson has returned from Chi-cago, and expresses his delight so far as both platform and nominees are concern-Watson may truly be said to be an

original silver man.

The reports of county treasurers as to school funds are coming in to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. This year the other school reports are to be made by the registers of deeds, under the ew law. In many cases they are apt to

new law. In many cases they are apt to be imperfect.

The State weekly crop bulletin, issued last night, is very unfavorable. The enor-mous rainful! (as much as 11 1-2 inches at one station) played havoc

We Mean Business.

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It's no bluff with uswhen we tell you your dollars will be made to do double duty here this week. What we mean by double duty is that one of your dollars shall buy as much as two could a month ago. The season is getting on and our surplus stock must go with it. There's no alternative. THE STUFF HAS GOT TO GO.

47 Men's Light-Weight Cassimere Suits, in Plaids and Pin-Stripes, not one in the lot that sold for less than \$11; To-Day, \$5.00.

29 Men's Serge and Cheviot Suits, satinpiped and elegantly finished, very nobby; their average value would be \$15;

To-Day, 87.00.

64 Blue and Black English Peacedale Suits-Your choice of Sacks, Double-Breasted, or Frock; you've paid \$18 to

\$20 for the same grades; To-Day, 89.00. 200 pairs of Odd-and-End Black and

Blue Worsted and Cheviot Pants (broken from suits), not a pair in the lot worth less than \$4.50, all sizes;

To-Day, \$2.00. 110 Children's Suits, elegant wearers, fast colors, guaranteed, ages 4 to 13 years

would be cheap at \$2; to close 'em out we To-Day, \$1.00.

Any 75c., \$1, or \$1.25 Child's Wash Suit Any \$1 or \$1.25 English Madras Shirt to

All our 50c. Pepperell Jeans Drawers to-

All our 50 and 75c. Leather Belts to-day

Remember, all goods are sold under our cuarantee-viz, perfect satisfaction, or

707 East Broad Street.

THAT VERY DESIRABLE DWELLING,
No. 313 south Laurel street, containing
six rooms. City water. Rent very reasonable, and entire premises in good order.
J. B. ELAM & CO.,
by 12-10t III3 Main street.

JULY 15, 1896.

GREAT SUMMER SALE

Waging a Hot Warfare With Existence.

THE NEVER-BEFORE-HEARD-OF SALE makes its own prices to clean up stock. Great piles of



merchandise melt away under the

importers, manufacturers, and dealers, everywhere have willed. Perfect, new, and pretty wares are here at 20, 30, 40, and 50c, on

the dollar.
THESE WONDERS HAVE NEVER EXISTED BEFORE. The values ordinarily placed on

COTTON WASH FABRICS

are the raw material, weaving, Mrs. Walter Clark has malarial-fever at finishing, printing, and expenses in transit. The Unheard-of-Sale this The fifth annual Presbyterian elders' week moves all but the raw mate-

French Gauzelines, imported to retail for 25c, a yard. Every new and pretty shade—in Yellow, Pink, Blue, Linen, Brown, White, Black, and Red—3,00 yards to-day for 5%c.

Into the pile of Dimities we throw to-day all those that were up to 12%c.—more than 1,600 yards added to the lot—for bac, a yard.

Best and Prettiest Shirting Prints at 2.7-8, 12%, and 16.2-3c. Fretty Organdles, for 5%c.

25c. Black Sateens, in short lengths, plain and brocaded, for 5%c.
18.2-3c. Moired Organdles for 4%c.
Colored 15.2-3c. Ducks for 4%c.
6.1-4c. Apron Ginghams, 3c.—and many others.

1.780 yards of Black Silk Finished Highest-Grade French Henrietta, \$1.10 value, go on sale to-day for, 58c. Other

Black Dress Goods prices are: 50-inch-wide Sicilian; it's what you've paid it for—ise, a yard clearing sale. Al-Wool Fine French Serge, the 42c, kind, 5c, now.
Fine All-Wool French Batiste, wide width, 25c, a yard, instead of 59c.
Pure Mohair Embroidered Taffetas, 48c. grades, are being offered to-day at 25c, a yard. grades, are being offered to-day at 25c, a yard.
45-inch Slik Finished Henrietta for 25c, Lots of others cheap to-day.

HOSIERY SALE.

In the wild selling of thousands upon thousands of dollars' worth, the publication of some stock must often drop to

HOSIERY DAY

of American and foreign sorts-all the way to the finest grades. A few of the many changed prices are:

160 dozen Ladles' 40-Gauge Fine Imported Black Hose, Hermsforf dye, elastic tops, spliced heels and toes, usually 25c. a pair; unheard-of price, 12%c, a pair.

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Ladies 37-gc, French Lisie-Thread Hose, in plain or Richelieu ribbed, high-spliced heels and toes, Hermsdorf dye, at this sale, Ec. a pair.
Ladies' Fancy Hose, drop stitch or plain, boot top, or solid Black, fre. value; unheard-of price, Se. a pair.
100 dozen Ladies' Drop-Stitch or Plain Hermsdorf Hose, spliced heels and toes, extra fine conned Maco Cotton, all sizes, lie, a pair; 3 pairs for 50c, 7 dozen Ladies' Fast-Black Full Seamless Hose, full lengths and all sizes, maker's price, 10c. a pair; unheard-of price, 5c. a pair.

maker's price, lec. a pair; unheard-of price, 5c. a pair;
Misses' Fine Ribbed Hermsdorf Hose, double knees, heels, and toes, sizes up to 9½, never sold for less than 25c.; at this sale, 19c. a pair.
Misses' Fast-Black Fine Ribbed Hose, clastic and durable, all sizes, up to 5½, for 6c. a pair.

The entire stock of sample dozens of Handkerchiefs, one of New York's largest importers, came in yesterday. Just half prices is the order of selling.

each.

9 dozen Men's White Hemstitched or Colored Bordered Handkerchiets, wide hems, 19 and 125kc, values, for 5c, each adies' Fine Sheer Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 'scalloped or hemstitched, importation price, \$1.59 a dozen; at this sale, 7c, each; 4 for 25c, Limit to quantity. LADIES' SEIRT-WAIST SELLING

begins just now where a fraction of the cost ended a month ago, Will not show the same next season, even though the prices were but Ic. on the dollar.

25 dozen various styles Ladies' Laun-dered Waists, detached, attached, or combination colored collars, extra full Bishop sleeves; were \$1 and \$1.25, for

68c. each.

\$2. 82.25, and \$2.50 Ladies' Laundered Walsts for \$1.25 each. Ladies' Black and Colored Taffeta Silk Walsts, dressmaker made, were \$6.50 and \$6.28. for \$8.250 each. Ladies' Fine Black and Colored Taffeta Silk Walsts, elaborately trimmed, were \$12.50 and \$15 each, at this clearing sale, \$7.50.

UNHEARD-OF PRICES ON BOOKS. Hundreds of volumes are piled up, in many cases for the cost of the binding. Summer reading for almost a thought of

the title. Come quick and make selection while the list of titles is full. 2.300 Paper-Bound Novels, just the thing for summer reading, 25c. value, for

to-day, 19c.

1,529 Buckram-Bound Books, all colors, by Doyle, Hope, Stevenson, Carey, Alexander, etc., 59c. value, for 125c.
Enough to last an hour-from 9:39 to 19:39. 30.73 kg. 20.75 kg. 20.75

IN WRITING PAPER WE HAVE:

1,600 boxes of 10c. Paper and Envelopes, for this sale, 2 for 5c. 1,200 pounds 15c. Writing Paper, 6c. a pound, 6,000 Envelopes, 5c. value, for this sale, 3 packages for 5c. 1,900 pounds of Irish Linen Writing Paper, two sizes, ruled and plain, 25c. value, for 12% a pound. HINTS FROM OUR TOILET AND NO-

TION DEPARTMENT. Hard-Wood French Bristle Hair-Brushes, 28c. value, for 14c. each. Large-size Curling Irons, 1c., instead of Good quality Face Powder, 3c. a box,

instead of 19c. Ivory-Handle Tooth-Brushes, 2c. instead of Sc.
5-Hook Corset Splits, in Gray and
White, 4c., instead of Ice.
3 papers of good Hair-Pins for Ic.
2 good Corset Laces for Ic.
10c. quality Stockinet Shields, 4c. a pair,
Sleeve Extenders, 15c. a pair, instead

SPECIAL REDUCIONS IN LININGS 10c. quality Gray Satine Jeans for 6 1-ic. a yard.
36-inch Rustling Percalines, all colors,
84-c. a yard, instead of 16 2-3c.
Skirt Linings, in colors, 3c. a yard.

THE LOUSEWARE

sells at what no one ever thought prices could be brought down to. These conditions, however, are not lasting. We ask you to come quick. Beautiful Hand-Decorated Austrian China Tea Sets, containing 56 pieces, worth 85.56, for \$2.58, complete. Fire German China Cups and Saucers,

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sale price, Sc. each.
Beautiful Hand-Decorated Carisbad
China fee-Cream or Berry Sets, worth
\$2.50, sale price, Sc. a set.
Beautiful Fancy Sheped Tollet Sets,
French style, worth \$4, sale price, \$1.50

French style, worth \$4, sale price, \$1.79 a set
English Decorated Dinner Sets, in FlowHitse, and Penell Decorations, worth
\$5.50, sale price, \$2.98 each. (Full set
for six persons.)
Decorated Ice-Cream Saucers, worth \$6c. a
dozen, for ic. each.
FROM 19 TO 11 O'CLOCK—
Pretty China Bread and Butter Plates,
Haviland design, will be sold less than
cost—your choice, 2c. cach.
Yellow China Mixing Bowls, sold elsewhere for 19c., sale price, \$c. each.
FROM 11 TO 12 O'CLOCK—
Yellow China Ple Plates, worth 19c., for
sc. each.
Large Alpine China Open Verstable
Dishes, worth 3cc., for \$c. each.
Large Flower Pots, worth 7c., for \$c.
each.
Sc. Flower Pots for Ic. each.

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Large Flower Pots, worth 7c., for 3c. each.

5c. Flower Pots for Ic. each.

ALL DAY—
Beautiful English China Hand-Decorated Toilet Sets, containing 10 and 12 pieces; no such value ever shown in Richmond, worth 310, 312 and 315 per set, sale price, 32.98 each.

Handsome Gold - Plated Onyx-Top Tables, worth 31, sale price, 32.98 each.

25 feet of the best quality highest-test Four-Ply Garden Hose, like sold elsewhere for \$2.76, sale price, \$1.98.

Gold-Banded Japanned Tin Toilet Sets, worth \$1.19, sale price, 7c. per set.

2-gallon Japanned Water Coolers, worth \$1.25, for 59c. each.

Crystal Glass Pickle Dishes, worth 10c., sale price, 3c. each.

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Handsome Imitation Cut-Glass Berry
Bowls, fancy shapes, worth 2c., sale price, 6c. each.
FROM 10 TO 11 O'CLOCKImitation Cut-Glass Tumblers, worth 31
a dozen, sale price, 2c. each.
Imitation Cut-Glass Cake Salvers, worth
25c., sale price, sc. each.

ALL DAY-Large Oak Arm Rockers, sold everywhere for \$3.50, sale price, \$1.75 each. Not over two sold to any one customer.

Oak Rocking-Chairs, worth 32, sale price, 89c, each. Fancy Rattan Parior Rockers, worth 500, extra large size, sale price, \$5.50 each.
Imported Willow Market Baskets, worth
48c., sale price, 19c. each.

Bixby's Shoe Polish, worth Sc., for Sc. bottle. FROM 9 TO 10 O'CLOCK-Best quality Stove Polish, lc. a package.

worth 5c 3-Arm Towel Racks, worth 10c., for 5c. FROM 19 TO 11 O'CLOCK— Individual Butter Mouid, ic, each, Polished Cherry Wood Klichen or Office Towel Rollers, worth 15c., sale price,

By J. D. Seabright, Auctioneer,
10c., for ic. each.

ALL DAY—
Best Patent Screen-Door Hinges, 5c.
Solid-Back Scrubbing-Brushes, worth
10c., sale price, 2c. each.

SPECIAL SALE OF ELEGANT
10c., sale price, 2c. each.

FURNITURE, SHOW-CASES, WARD-

10c., sale price, 2c. each.

Solid-Back Clothes-Brushes, worth 25c., ale price, 5c. each.

FURNITURE, SHOW-CASES, WARD-ROBES, ETC. sale price, 5c. each. 1,000 Beautiful M-dallion Pictures, copyrighted, not shown elsewhere for less than 6cc., sale price, Be, each.
Beautiful Pastel Fac-Similes, worth \$1.

sale price, 48c. cach,
3-Burner Gas-Stoves, worth B, sale
price, 41.9.
Fine Woven Hammocks, with pillow and preader, worth \$3, sale price, 98c, each, FROM 11 TO 12 O'CLOCK— Ashestos Stove-Mats, 3 for 5c., worth 5c.

Granite Iron Jelly-Cake Pans, worth lic., for 7c. each.

THE COHEN CO. RALPH WISHON TURNS UP.

Not in Cuba, However, But at the Ohio State Prison. COLUMBUS, O., July 14.—Ralph Wishon, the Portsmouth man, who has wishon, the Portsmouth man, who has been reported as doing valiant service in Cuba on behalf of the patriots, turned up this morning at the State prison, under the name of John Ray, from Knox county. His face was at once recognized at the prison as that of Wishon, who was discharged September 14th last. He robbed a store at Beck's Mills, in Knox county, two months ago, and when the officers tried to arrest him he shot one of them.

Women in Politics.

CANTON, O., July 14.—The Cantomen have made extensive and thou preparations for the reception of large delegation of Cleveland womate coming to call on Major Mo 68 dozen Ladies' Fine Sheer All-Linen
Handkerchiefs, 1-4- and 15-inch hemstitched borders, the best 20c. value,
to-lay just one half-10c. each.
229 dozen Ladies' White Hemstitched
Colored or Mourning Bordered Handkerchiefs, your pick of any for 3c.
each. Women, who will escore them to Major McKinley's house. The visiting delegation brings a band with it wholly composed of women. The active participation of women in the campaign is a unique

For Another Revolution? CINCINNATI, O., July 14.—It developed last night that General John Drummond, who was here estensibly for the purpose of buying machinery for his silver mines in Honduras, bought 15,990 rounds of cartridges and \$15,000 worth of powder from the King's Milis people, and 600,000 rounds, besides other munitions of war, from the Winchester Manufacturing Company, of New York.

General Drummond is the man who led the revolutionary forces against Honduras a short time ago, and he is supposed to be planning another revolution.

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ST. LOUIS, MO., July 14.—Vice-President Adial 2. Stevenson passed through here this morning. He came from his home, in Bioomington, III., accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson, on the way to Bowling Green, Ky., where the couple will visit their daughter and son-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. P. Wat Hardin, Mr. Stevenson declined to be interviewed by newspaper men.

Telegraphic Briefs. New York,—The arrival of the Marion at Panama was reported. Minneapolis, Minn.—The Populist State Convention has been called to meet on August 6th. The place is not yet fixed.

Atlanta, Ga.—J. P. McGarrity was mominated for Representative in Congress from the Seventh Georgia District by the Populist convention at Dallas, Ga. Minneapolis, Minn.—The Penny Press announces that ex-Congressman John Lind (Republican) has consented to run as the silver candidate for Governor.

Washington.—A report received at the Navy Department states that the cruiser Olympia on June 7th made a trip from Hoboka to Yokohama at an average speed of 19.94 knots per hour, under naspeed of 19.1 tural draft. San Francisco, Cal.—The steamer Colombia, of the Pacific Mail Steamship
Company, went ashore during a thick fog
at Pigeon Point, a rocky projection about
half way between San Francisco and
Santa Cruz. The latest advices state
that the Colombia is in a dangerous position, severely pounding the rocks.

St. Louis, Mo.—The Commercial Travellers' Bryan Club was organized with a charter-roll of eighty-live members.

Jacksonville, Fiz.—Captain J. W. Anderson, the Republican leader of Putnam county, has left his party, and will support Bryan.

port Bryan.

Washington.—Naval orders were issued as follows: Paymaster H. C. Machette ordered home, and placed on waiting orders; Passed-Assistant-Engineer R. G. Denig ordered to the Constellation; Commander S. W. Very detached from duty as inspector of ordnance at Cramp's ship-yard, and ordered to the Boston navy-yard; Passed-Assistant-Surgeon H. N. Tharish ordered to the Pensacola yard

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New York.—The Mallory-Line steamer Colorado, from Brunswick, Ga., with twenty-eight passengers and a general cargo, collided with a loaded mud-scow at 3 o'clock in the morning, while proceeding up the main channel in the lower bay on her way to the city. The steamer was badly damaged about the bows, and began to make water so rapidly that her captain at once beached her on West bank in twenty-one feet of water. There was much excitement immediately after the collision, and the frightened passengers flocked hurriedly to the deck. They were in no danger, however, and their fears were soon allayed. They were taken to the city in tugs.

AUCTION SALES-This Day.

Anna Capper and others

WHEN REAL ESTATE IS SOLD THE TAXES FOR THE CURRENT CALEN-DAR YEAR ARE TO BE PAID PRO RATA BY THE VENDOR AND THE

VENDEE. By J. Thompson Brown & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, No. 1113 cast Main street.

John Hayley and als. Richmoni Chancery Court, decree en-tered July 6, 1896.

By virtue of the above decree, and as special commissioner therein appointed for the purpose, I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1896,

AT 5:36 P. M., the PROPERTY on Gra-hum street, Fulion; and AT 6:30 P. M., the PROPERTY on west

JO. LANE STERN.

Special Commissioner.

J. Thompson Brown & Co., Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1896,

EMPLOYMENT WANTS.

WANTED.

WANTED.

BUSINESS WANTS.

WANTED,
FOUR OR FIVE HORSES; LARGE,
sound, and young. Send at 9 o'clock A.
M. during the week to RICHMOND
TRANSFER STABLES, 107 west Canal
atreet.
A. W. GARBER.

WANTED.

WANTED,

Everybody to Know

and the place to purchase is the

now is the time to purchase FUEL

Old Original Stand

1905 East Cary - Phone 165. 1200 West Broad - Phone 407. Anthracite—Stove, Nut, and Egg.

Splint, Lump, and Hail. Steam Coal and Woodcheap forcash.

RY, General Manager,

er my hand, this 10th day of CHAS. W. GODDIN,

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, Eleventh and Bank streets. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VAL-CABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY
IN FULTON.
IS FEET PRONT, FIVE 60 BUILDING
LOTS OF 30 FEET EACH, ON THE
NORTHEAST CORNER OF GRA-HAM AND FULTON STREETS.
ONE 40 BUILDING LOT ON WEST
CLAY STREET, BETWEEN KIN-NEY AND BOWE STREETS.

UCTION SALE OF THAT NICE A TWOSTORY SIX-ROOM FRANK DWELL-ING-HOUSE AND LOT, NO. 2613 MAR-SHALL STREET. BETWEEN THE THETH AND THIRTY PIRST STREETS—We will, at the request of the owner, offer this HOUSE AND LOT for sale, on the premises, on MONDAY, JULY 20, 1864.

AUCTION SALES-Future Days.

TAXES FOR THE CURRENT CALEN-DAR YEAR ARE TO BE PAID PRO RATA BY THE VENDOR AND THE VENDEE.

By H. Seldon Taylor & Soc,

WHEN REAL ESTATE IS SOLD THE

MONDAY, JULY 20, 1886, at 6 o'clock P. M. The lot fronts on the south side of Marshall street Zixle) feet, to an aley 15 feet wide.

TERMS: One third cash; balance at six and twelve months, for negotiable notes, with interest added, and secured by a deed of trust.

H. SELDON TAYLOR & SON, Jy 15.

By E. A. Catlin, Auctioneer,

No. 6 north Eleventh street,

A UCTION SALE OF FIVE LOTS

FRONTING ON BROAD STREET.

AND IMMEDIATELY IN FRONT OF

CHIMBORAZO PARK,

Clay street.

The property on Graham street consists of FIVE 50 CONSECUTIVE BUILDING LOTS of 30 feet each, on the north line of Graham street, between Fulton and Erin streets, fronting on the said Graham street one hundred and fifty (130 feet, and running back between parallel lines 110 feet, more or less, to an aliey ten (10) feet wide. This is a large and desirable piece of property, located at the north-west corner of Graham and Fulton streets; being lots 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, in square 7. THREE LOTS ON THIRTY-POURTH

STREET NEAR BROAD. In pursuance of a decree of the Chan-cery Court of the city of Richmond, co-tered on the 6th day of November, 1st in the cause of Bohannan and wife va Tabb. I will sell at public auction, ca the premises, on

at 5:30 o'clock P. M. FIVE LOTS ON LAND, each fronting 24 feet on the north side of Broad street, at the west corner of Thirty-fourth street, running have to an alley; also, THIRNE LOTS on the cast side of Thirty-fourth street near Broad, two of them fronting 25 feet, and running back to an alley.

The splendid location of this property.

the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of November 6, 1991, has been Given under my hand, this 5th day of July, 1886. CHAS, W. GODDIN,

By J. H. Valentine, Austloneer, No. 6 west Broad street,

CITY AND COUNTRY BUYERS.

AUCTION SALE OF E.SO STOCK OF DESIRABLE DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, PIECE GOODS, HOSIERY, ETC.

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1866. THURSDAY, JULY 16, Bes, at 10:39 A. M. Only one day sale. Al, must be sold first day. My agreement with the owner is that the merchant with the owner is that the merchant with the decidence of cost or quantity effected. The stock consists in part of Hostery, Handkerchiefs, White Goods, Laddes' Vests, about 200 dozen Suspenders, Hair-Brushes, Fiere Goods, &c. &c. This is no part of a retail stock, but was bought by the owner to plu exclusively to the trade. Attend this attractive sale Thursday, July 16th, at 10:30 A. M., at my store, No. 6 west Broad street. WANTED,
A LADY CASHIER AND BOOKKeeper, Must be well recommended. Apply at THE MODEL SHOE STORE, 667
Broad street. WANTED,
A YOUNG LADY AS BUNDLE-WRAPper. Apply at THE MODEL SHOE
STORE, 07 Broad street. Jy 15-R

GOOD COMPOSITOR WANTS WORK.
Address HUSTLER, 115 west Clay street.
Jy 15-1t*

TWO BEAUTIFUL LOTS ON THIRD AVENUE, CHESTNUT HILL

FRIDAY, JULY 17TH.

at 620 o'clock P. M. on the premises, seel to the highest bidder those TWO CERTAIN LOTS OF LAND, designated at lots I and 2, block 17, in the plan of Chestnut Hill. They commence at the northeast corner of Third avenue and Alder street, and run thence northerly along Third avenue 60 feet, and extend back from said four between parallel lines 10 feet to an alley 20 feet wide.

TERMS: Cash sufficient to pay costs of executing this trust, and all past-ductaxes, if any, including one half of the taxes for 1856, and 355 with interest thereon, from May 27, 185, until paid and balance on such terms as may be amounced at sails. It is probable homewer, that much more liberal terms will be accounted. ALL OF MY FRIENDS TO KNOW I AM again with the old and reliable coal dealer. Charles H. Page. No. 1200 west Broad atroet, whore I will be pleased to receive their orders, and guarantee the best fucial lowest prices.

Jy 12-41_teod6t A. T. MITCHELL.

sion on Lookout Mountain.

portant matters relating to ratings will be considered during the session, which will last for three or four days.

M. P. Hopburn, of Louisville, was elected chairman of the committee. Sub-committees were appointed, to whom were referred all matters of rate contro-versy between the different lines, as well as the classification of rates on iron, cotton, and other articles in the non-permanent or sensonable list. These committees will report Wednesday. The following railways are represented in the

Richmond Man Drowned.

Steam Coal and Woodcheap for cash.

CHARLES H. PAGE,

[my 31-1y]

WOODWARD & SON,

ILLIANS BLUMBER,

WIRGINIA SASH. RLINOS, Erc.

TW.F. & SASH. RLINOS, Erc.

TW. & SASH. RLINOS, Erc.

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THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1896,

SPECIAL TRADE SALE.

extension Dining-Table;
Plates, Dishes, Tollet and Dining Cuttery, etc.
for same parties—
Show-Cases;

Good Snow-Cases:
Lot of Linoleum, good as new;
Good Stove and Utensile;
Sets Oak Dining-Chairs, good as new;
Lace Curtains, Portieres, Pictures, Mirrors, and many other articles too numerous to mention, J. D. SEABRIGHT,
19-14
Auctioneer.

tore, No. 6 west Broad street, TERMS: Cash. J. H. VALENTINE,

By E. A. Catlin, Auctioneer, No. 6 north Eleventh rirect,

REGISTERED DRUGGIST, ONE WITH a city experience preferred. Address, PRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE A GOOD MAN, WHO CAN GIVE BOND, to act as our agent in Henrico county. Address, with references, THE TOLEPO RICYCLE PROTECTIVE COMPANY 23 Huron street, Toledo O. FRED S. TER-BY General Manager.

In execution of a deed of trust to make dated May 24, 1895, of record in the Clerk's office of Henrico County Court, in Deeds Book 149 B, page 390, default having been made in the payment of a note therein secured, and being required so to do by the holder of said note, I will, on FRIDAY, JULY 17TH.

RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES.

WANTED,
RECRUITS FOR THE UNITED STATES
Marine Corps. Wasted, ablo-bodied, unmarried men between the ages of 21 and
39 years. Food, ciothing, and medical attendance free. For further particulars,
etc. apply oc address the commanding Mississippi Valley Committee in Ses-CHATTANOOGA, TENN., July 14.-Tha etc., apply of address the commanding officer, Marine Barracks, Navy-Yard, Nor-folk, Va. 19 5-5m WANTED,

MORE GOLD FOR STOVES, TIN ROOP,
ing, Plumbing, and Gas-Fitting, Rubber
Gas-Fiolog, and Large Gas-Stoves, Gasoline, 15c. No discount on silver, at
LEIDY'S STOVE-HOUSE, 169 east
Franklin street, Phone, 1085, my 31-ts

Ohlo Southwestern, Chemnant, New Jeans, and Texas Pacific, Kansas City, Memphis, and Birmingham, Louisville and Nashville, Memphis and Charleston, Baltimore and Ohio, Nashville, Charta-neogs, and St. Louis, New Orleans and Northeastarn, Southern railway, and the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley.